

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Attorney Docket No. 26430U

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

NISHIBE et al.

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Examiner: PALENIK, Jeffrey T.

For: CICLESONIDE-CONTAINING STERILE AQUEOUS SUSPENSION

RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This response is submitted in the above-identified application responsive to the Office Action dated November 27, 2009, along with a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time, making a response due on or before May 27, 2010. Accordingly, this Response is timely filed.

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